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**By The Associated Press**

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**By W. C. BATCHELOR**

The dinner and the presence of the Governor of Virginia will be an event of unusual interest to the members of this large and flourishing order.

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**HAVE A BIG SUNDAY**

Rev. J. E. Hicks, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church of Baltimore and former pastor here, will speak to his old congregation at the mid-week prayer services this evening. Dr. Hicks is greatly esteemed and beloved in this city where he spent many years of his ministry, and he won high recognition as a thinker and speaker in the entire eastern section of the country. His appearance to night will enable many of his friends to see and greet him. His wife has been ill, under treatment in a local hospital, and this condition is a special occasion for his presence here at this time.

**DANVILL**

**FOUR LOST WHEN STEAMER  
GOES DOWN IN A STORM**  
(By The Associated Press.)  
**SAULT STE MAIRE, Mich., May 26**—Caught in a sixty mile gale in Lake Superior Sunday, the wooden steamer Orinoco foundered and went down with a loss of four of her crew. The remaining fourteen members took to life boats and reached Montreal island where they were rescued today by the tug Gargantuan of the

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Inventions have been issued by a committee of the local lodges of the Improved Order of Red Men of which Clifton J. Parrott is chairman which read as follows:  
"You are cordially requested to be present at a dinner at the Country Club, 25, 1924

The dinner and the presence of the Governor of Virginia will be an event of unusual interest to the members of this large and flourishing order.

## CANVASS FOR FUNDS

A committee of ladies took the field yesterday supporting the committee of men who recently have been conducting a quiet canvass of the city for money towards the endowment fund for a Chair of Nursing at the University of Virginia. Danville's quota of the \$50,000 fund is \$3,500, but it is understood that subscriptions so far received have fallen short of the mark. The ladies committee expects to work energetically on this campaign in the hope that the undertaking here may succeed. The amount thus far raised has not been given out.

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## DAILY PUZZLE

**SIX**  
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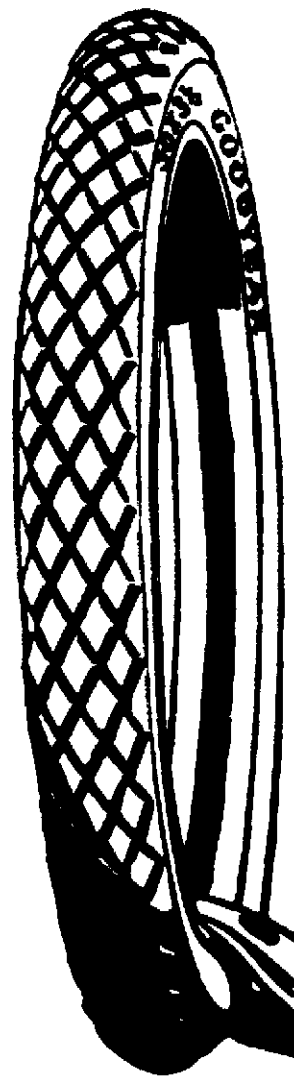
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## WITH U. S. SAILORS IN HONDURAS



First and exclusive pictures from Tegucigalpa, capital of Honduras, where federal and rebel troops are engaged in combat. Below are American sailors from the Milwaukee as they arrived in the Honduran capital to protect American interests. Above (at left) two ex-aviators of the U.S. Navy who are flying for the revolutionary forces (Lawrence (Buster) Brown, pilot, and C. E. Krueger, with bomb). Together they have bombed Tegucigalpa many times. General Gregorio Ferrera, chief leader of the rebels, at right.

## HOOKER PROPONENTS GIVE DETAILS OF BID

(By The Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, May 20.—The Tennessee Electric Power company's bid for the Hooker-White-Atterbury Muscle Shoals bid testified at tonight's session of the Senate Agriculture Committee. They elaborated on their previous testimony, explaining their proposal to operate Muscle Shoals as a profit-sharing basis with the government. Three were heard at today's session, including B. F. Edgar, vice-president of the Tennessee Electric Power company's bid. He declared that all of the power produced at Muscle Shoals and not needed for manufacture of fertilizer should be distributed throughout the Southeastern states through the inter-connecting transmission lines of the Associated Power Companies. J. H. Levering, a local consulting engineer supporting the Lloyd bid which provides for government ownership with private operation, criticized all of the other proposals, particularly the Hooker-White-Atterbury and the Ford offers and accused the power companies of working in "gigantic power trust."

J. James O'Brien, a development engineer of Boston, attempted to present to the committee a new proposal for the use of Muscle Shoals Power, but Chairman Norris ruled the subject was irrelevant and should not be considered by the committee.

O'Brien proposed to use the Muscle Shoals Power to control flood waters of the Lower Mississippi by accelerating the flow of the river by applying electrical energy from an external source. He declared by increasing the flow of water at the Mississippi's mouth, floods could be eliminated.

## STOMACH FELT LIKE A WEIGHT

But John C. Beiswanger, of Reading, Says Paw Paw Rid Him of the Pain

"I was home, under the doctor's care, from December 19 to February 18, with severe stomach trouble," writes John C. Beiswanger, 608 Tulpehocken St., Reading, Pa. "My stomach felt like a heavy weight, which moved as I moved my body. This caused a distressed feeling constantly and, after eating, would cause pain. On February 18, I purchased my first bottle of Munyon's Paw Paw Tonic. Today I can honestly say my stomach is as well as it ever was."

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## 1-3 OFF

NO APPROVALS—NO MEMOS—EVERY SALE FINAL

By BOB DORMAN  
TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, May 20. War in Honduras—a joke if it were not a tragedy to those widows and orphans left behind.

Government troops or revolutionaries—it matters not.

Their uniforms—what fancy dictates.

Their guns—single-shot rifles of ancient vintage, the favorite calibre, 7 or 11 mm.

Even old muzzle-loaders are to be seen.

Mixed in with these are those proud warriors swaggering along with Thompson machine guns—those ultra-modern weapons of 45-calibre designed especially for hand-to-hand fighting.

And your true Honduranian loves his hand-to-hand fight.

He feels there is some satisfaction in life if he can wipe out his hand, but swinging from his wrist is his machete.

At close quarters the rifle is discarded and the machete comes into action.

Take the Battle of Camayagua. When the town garrisoned by 1200 men, armed with machine guns and rifles, and with plenty of ammunition.

To face them, he had 800 men with an average of three cartridges apiece. When those were gone, they had their machetes.

In two days' fighting he took the town. The last stand of the government troops was in the church.

The altar is dyed red with the blood of the 19 who fell there under the machetes of Ferrera's Indians.

The roof is scarlet with the blood of those who died under the knives of the Indians, even though they swept the onrushing ranks with two machine guns.

The revolutionists were canny in their siege of Tegucigalpa.

Their ammunition was low—their opponents' ample.

So at night they would send forward three or four men, who, creeping close to the federal lines, would fire two or three shots.

The federals, panicky over the thought that the machete men were

MISS PAULINE BURGESS  
BRIDE OF W. R. HAWKINS

Announcement has been received in this city of the marriage at Reidsville, N. C., on Monday of Miss Pauline Burgess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Burgess, to W. R. Hawkins, of Raleigh, N. C., the wedding being a surprise even to the parents of the bride. Mr. Hawkins is engaged in the real estate business in Raleigh. Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins are now on a wedding trip before settling down in their attractive furnished apartment in the capital city of North Carolina. The bride is a well-known and esteemed young lady.

ANNUAL FRAT INITIATION

ASHLAND, Va., May 20.—The Society of Phi Beta Kappa at Randolph-Macon College will hold its annual initiation on Wednesday evening, May twenty-first.

There will be public exercises in the college chapel at eight o'clock. The address will be made by Dr. John Calvin Metcalf, dean of the graduate school of the University of Virginia. The friends of the college are cordially invited to be present.

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West Liberty, Ky.—Over the mountain roads between here and Wrigley, which for many years were rough and often dangerous, Mr. F. M. Caskey, of this place, has carried the mail for thirty-eight years.

Winter and summer, rain or shine, each day Mr. Caskey has driven his team of mules up the steep trail and back again, so that his friends and neighbors may have their daily mail. And now, although 66 years old, Mr. Caskey, hale and hearty, daily can be seen driving his sturdy mules over the mountains to Wrigley.

At one time, however, Mr. Caskey was not in such robust health as he is now—so he told a recent visitor to West Liberty.

"I used to suffer a great deal with indigestion," he said. "I would have gas on my stomach and a tight feeling in my breast, an uncomfortable feeling, and, after a few days, I would have a sick headache. At times I felt like my stomach would burst. I would get so constipated."

"I had tried remedies, but didn't get results. One day some one told me of Black-Draught. Since then I have been a family medicine with me. I found, by taking it when I had these indigestion spells, I could ward off the headache. So I keep it in the house and have used it over ten years."

Millions use it. You should.



# Danville Trims Patriots; New Outfielder Is Signed

## STANDINGS

PIEDMONT LEAGUE		
Clubs	W	L
High Point	16	7
Durham	13	10
Danville	11	12
Greensboro	8	15
Winston-Salem	7	16
Raleigh	5	18

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
Clubs	W	L
New York	16	9
Boston	13	12
St. Louis	11	14
Detroit	10	15
Cleveland	12	14
Washington	12	14
Philadelphia	8	18

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
Clubs	W	L
Cincinnati	16	11
Chicago	15	12
New York	12	15
Boston	12	15
Brooklyn	14	14
Pittsburgh	14	14
St. Louis	11	16
Philadelphia	9	18

VIRGINIA LEAGUE		
Clubs	W	L
Portsmouth	18	6
Norfolk	13	12
Rocky Mount	14	11
Richmond	12	12
Wilson	11	16
Petersburg	9	17

### College Games

At Trinity 8; Wake Forest, 2.  
At Jackson: Mississippi A. & M., 9;  
Mississippi College, 4.

Iowa has produced a potato with no eyes. They can go even further and produce corn without ears, but there never will be a cabbage without a head.

## WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Greensboro at Danville.  
High Point at Winston.  
Raleigh at Durham.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Boston at St. Louis.  
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.  
Philadelphia at Chicago.  
New York at Pittsburgh.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
St. Louis at Washington.  
Cleveland at New York.  
Detroit at Boston.  
Chicago at Philadelphia.

## Harris Hardest Batter to Fool, Johnson Thinks

Who is the most dangerous batsman in the American League? Harry Hellmann of the Detroit Tigers is tough picking. Babe Ruth, Bob Meusel and Wally Pipp of the New York Yankees are much feared. Ken Williams of the St. Louis Browns breaks up many a ball game. Each club has one or more crack batsmen.

Walter Johnson, famous pitcher of the Washington club, doesn't say that Joe Harris is the most dangerous batsman in the American League, but frankly admits that no one is more troublesome to him.

"Harris is a remarkable batsman," says Johnson, "he hits all styles of pitching with equal ease and sends them to all fields. It is impossible to play for Harris. I doubt if any big league follows a fast breaking curve better than Harris."

To what Walter Johnson says, Eddie Ommel, crack pitcher of the Philadelphia Athletics, adds: "Most batters find my knuckle ball troublesome but I have yet to badly fool Harris with it."

## NATIONAL

**GIANTS SMOTHERED UNDER AVALANCHE OF HITS**

(By The Associated Press.)  
PITTSBURGH, May 20. — Pittsburgh hammered three Giant pitchers for 17 hits today, the Pirates winning the second straight game from New York 12 to 3. Eight of the Pittsburgh hits were for extra bases, Grimm leading the attack with two doubles and two singles.

The score: R H E  
New York 100 002 000—2 11 3  
Pittsburgh 100 222 14—12 17 3  
Dean, Maun, Jonnard, and Snyder; Meadows and Gooch.

**FIVE HITS, THREE OF WHICH WERE HOMERS, OFF KEEN**  
CHICAGO, May 20.—Vic Keen held the Phillies to five hits today and the Cubs won by 7 to 4. All the hits made off Keen were for extra bases and four of them were in the first three innings, after which Mogan, who hit a home in the ninth, was the only visitor to reach first base.

Sande hit a homer in the first and Walker in the third inning.  
The score: R H E  
Philadelphia 102 000 001—4 5 1  
Chicago 103 000 12—11 0  
Glazner Betts and Henline; Keen and Hartnett.

## For the Game's Sake

By LAWRENCE PERRY

(Copyright, 1924, by The Bee)

NEW YORK, May 20.—Syracuse's varsity, junior varsity and freshmen crews will try out the Annapolis rowing course on the Severn River on Thursday in preparation for Saturday's regatta against the navy crews. The Orange showed by defeating the Massachusetts tech varsity eight that the Teneyck has assembled a workmanlike combination, qualified to give the navy its eagerly awaited test.

Watching Bill Tilden in his recent appearances in this vicinity as the chief drawing card in club exhibitions for funds of various sources, one received a clear idea as to what publicity does for an athlete.

Men and women who had never before attended a tennis match, who knew little or nothing about the game, turned out to see this great lawn tennis star about whom so much turmoil has been raised. There was of course, the general impression that Bill, for some unjust, unwarranted reason, was under attack and such a feeling always invests a man with an added attractiveness.

And Bill who is not so good an actor as he is a lawn tennis player—albeit a good actor at that—rose to the situation commandingly. At Mont Clair and at Maplewood, for example, he displayed all his stuff and in fact, rose at times to amazing heights, while all the changes of manner that distinguish him in regular tournaments were by no means missing.

In the end, in auctioning off the racket with which he had played, Tilden had opportunity to display his histrionic ability and availed himself of it fully.

In brief, what is happening to Tilden is perfectly clear. He is putting forth on the broad public map and he himself is rapidly getting map occupy. Babe Ruth, Ty Cobb, Walter Hagen and Dempsey occupy.

**SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION**  
Atlanta 6; Chattanooga 9.  
New Orleans 4; Little Rock 1.  
Birmingham-Nashville called and second rain.  
Mobile-Memphis rain.

**APPALACHIAN LEAGUE**  
Kingsport 4; Greenville 2.  
Johnson City 1; Bristol 5.  
Morristown 3; Knoxville 2.

## Wins Place as Olympic Swimmer



Finishing second in the 220 to Agnes Geraghty, holder of 17 records, Marie Hillegas of Philadelphia virtually clinched a position on the American swimming team for the Olympiad.

The attractive Miss Hillegas is also holder of the middle Atlantic breast-stroke championship.

She is regarded as one of the coming swimmers of the land.

## REGAN AND HARRIS ARE FACTORS IN VICTORY OF TOBACCONISTS YESTERDAY

Centerfield Eddie Regan unassisted yesterday beat the whole Greensboro baseball team, while Pitcher Cudde Harris held them. The score was 3 to 0.

It was pre-eminently Regan's day yesterday. The Jersey flash pounded out a home run, two 2-baggers and a 3-bagger in four times at bat—a total of eleven bases—scored three runs himself and batted in two more, not to mention his six put-outs. The rest of the team got only five hits, one a two-bagger by Resco. Another remarkable feature to Regan's day was his scoring from second base in the fourth on Inman's infield out, pitcher to first. Regan had a big lead and would have stolen third, had not Inman tapped the ball. While Pitcher Regan was fielding the tap, first, Regan breezed in with a score.

The game was in sharp and refreshing contrast with that played by the Champions on Monday. In fact, both teams were alert and played fast, each team costing one run. The fast and sure work of Furey at short field for the Guilford team and of Regan in center were features. O'Hara made a pretty catch of Inman's line drive in the first, and Furey pulled down a high, screaming liner from Tangeman's bat in the fifth.

Both Harris and Gibson had their curves breaking sharply and widely throughout the game, and Harris alternated with a cross-fire delivery which was effective. The out-curves of both hurlers were breaking so sharply and widely that spectators were inclined to question the vision of umpire Morgan. Gibson worked the outside corner with rare control, striking out Manager Murphy twice without his even swinging at the ball. Harris also fanned Dave Harris, always a dangerous batsman, and then whiffed the brilliant Irby once and Faber O'Hara once.

Regan for Danville and O'Hara and Ray for the visitors were the batting boys in the game, the trio getting

Greensboro					
AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Irby, cf.	4	0	0	0	0
Teague, 2b.	4	0	1	2	0
O'Hara, lf.	4	1	2	3	0
D. Harris, rf.	4	0	1	1	0
Cox, 1b.	4	0	0	11	0
Carroll, 3b.	4	0	0	0	4
Furehy, ss.	3	1	0	2	7
Ray, c.	3	0	2	5	2
Gibson, p.	2	0	0	0	2
Sherrill, x	0	1	0	0	0
Brandon, xx	1	0	0	0	0
Euliss, xxx	1	0	0	0	0

Totals	34	2	7	24	15	1
Danville	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Trefrey, if.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Regan, cf.	4	3	4	6	0	0
Murphy, ss.	4	0	0	2	2	0
Inman, 3b.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Resco, 1b.	4	0	1	6	0	0
Belk, 2b.	4	0	1	3	2	1
Tangeman, rf.	2	1	1	1	0	0
Cochlin, c.	2	2	0	7	0	0
L. Harris, p.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	6	9	27	4	1

Score by innings:  
Greensboro 200 000 100—2  
Danville 100 111 20—6  
x Ran for Taggart in first inning.  
xxx Batted for Gibson in ninth.  
xxx Batted for Irby in ninth.  
Summary—Stolen bases: Harris; two-base hits: Regan (2), Ray (2). Resco; three-base hits: Regan; home runs: O'Hara, Regan; double plays: Belk to Resco; struck out by Harris 7, by Gibson 4; bases on balls off Harris 2 (Furey, Ray), off Gibson 1 (Tangeman), off pitcher Belk 1; Cochlin; Gibson; left on bases: Greensboro 7, Danville 3; earned runs: Greensboro 2, Danville 3; first base on errors: Greensboro 1, Danville 1; passed ball: Ray; wild pitch: Harris; Gibson; time of game: 1:40; umpires: Morgan and Lewis; attendance: 1,000.

nine of the sixteen hits, and their blows being good for 19 total bases. Altogether the game was a fine exhibition of the great national pastime and one which would have been enjoyed by a large crowd.

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

**PIEDMONT LEAGUE**  
Winston-Salem 4; High Point 5.  
Durham 5; Raleigh 4.  
Danville 6; Greensboro 3.

All games rained out.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Pittsburgh 12; New York 3.  
Chicago 7; Philadelphia 4.  
Other games rained out.

**VIRGINIA LEAGUE**  
Wilson 2; Norfolk 4.  
Petersburg 12; Portsmouth 5.  
Rocky Mount 3; Richmond 4 (10 innings).

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**  
Toledo 0; Columbus 5.  
St. Paul 7; Milwaukee 3.  
Minneapolis 5; Kansas City 13.  
Louisville-Indianapolis grounds wet.

**FLORIDA STATE LEAGUE**  
Orlando 2 1/2; Lakeland 12-9.  
St. Petersburg 9; Tampa 5.  
Bradenton 1; Daytona 0.

**SALLY LEAGUE**  
Asheville 5; Spartanburg 4.  
Macon 8; Greenville 3.  
Charlotte 9; Augusta 8 (10 innings).

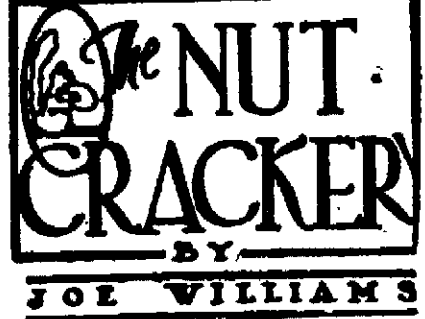
**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Jersey City 2; Baltimore 15.  
Newark 0; Reading 6.  
Toronto 1; Syracuse 5 (11 innings).  
Rochester 4; Buffalo 13.

**DYNAMITE SLUGGERS COME BACK AT S. S. S.—SCORE 6 TO 5**

The Dynamite Sluggers evened matters up with the S. S. S. ball club yesterday afternoon by defeating them in a good ball game, at R. E. Lee school grounds by the score of 6 to 5. The twirlers for both teams were in fine form, allowing only thirteen hits all told. The game went only seven innings, because of darkness.

Score by innings: R H E  
D. S. S. 300 020 1—6 7 2  
S. S. S. 103 000 1—5 6 3  
Batteries—Dynamite Sluggers: Moore, Cuipepper and Critz; S. S. S. Club: K. Hall and P. Furgurson; umpire, Harris.

In this attempt that is being made to find something that will renew youth, maybe some means will be devised to harness the strength of the young union.



The distinguished Billy Evans reports that Babe Ruth is choking his bat this year, the big, heartless brute.

But Siki was mangled in an auto smash-up and it is feared he will never be able to fight again, thank goodness.

Aprons or nothing in particular, Mr. One Punch O'Goody observes that no girl ever wore cotton stockings because she wanted to.

With all the class withdrawn, the Kentucky Derby looks like the Yanks without Ruth or a hip without a flask.

We don't know whether Dave Danforth of the Browns monkeys with the ball or not but he certainly makes monkeys out of the other teams.

Race bettors dropped \$2,000,000 in the winter books without getting a run for their money and now they know what a freeze-out game is.

It is not surprising to hear that vegetables grow on Mars. You find some awful tomatoes wherever you go.

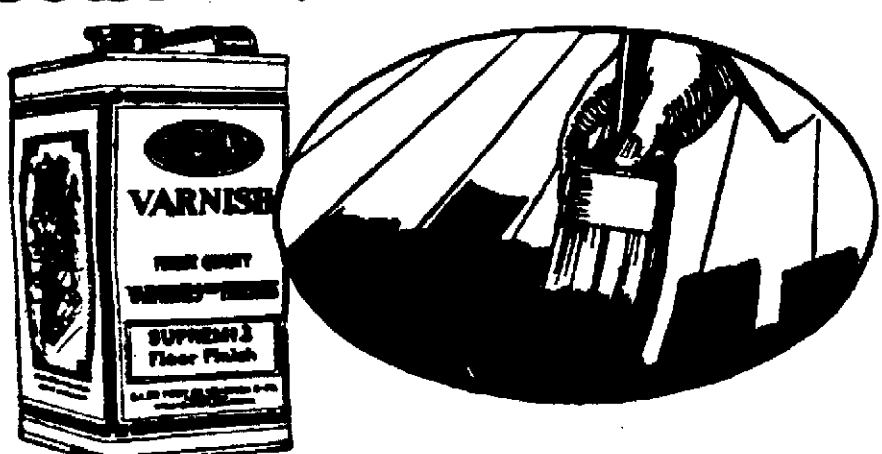
The harrowing tennis war still rages and at press time Bill Tilden appeared to be leading by seventeen columns.

Mons. Carpenter landed in New York the other day. There is no telling where he will land the day he fights Gibbons.

America is sending 25 fencers to the Olympics, which is just 25 more than we thought were in this country.

Who Am I?  
I am always misunderstood. I am no end of trouble. I often come between husband and wife. Women love me. I am a friend in need. Women expect me to do all the worrying. The banks betray me. I am more dangerous in the hands of a woman than a gun. I have made men weep. I am a woman's check book.

## Good news for Home makers!



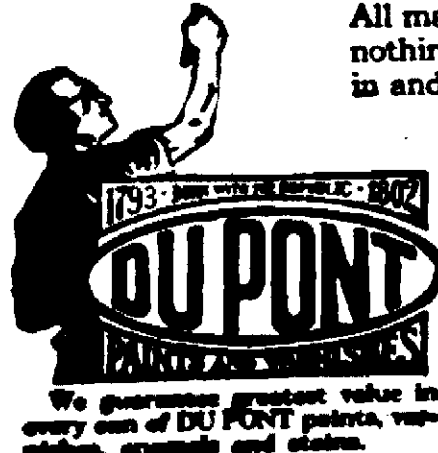
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## The Sportsman

By WALTER CAMP

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NEW YORK, May 20.—Every golfer in the country should take to heart the lesson offered at Garden City last week end when Walter Richard, standing five up on the 10th hole, when they drew up at the tenth hole, lost out to the veteran on the 10th hole.

An early commanding lead seems to be the hardest situation in the world even for the experienced golfer to contend with. What happens to the brains of the man with such a lead, brains in hundreds of cases every season, and spells disaster.

They tell a story of one British amateur champion who later, in a university match, stood eighth up at the turn and still succeeded in losing the match.

The decision of President George Wightman of the United States Lawn Tennis Association to recommend a special meeting of the association to review the player-writer question, holds promise of peace once more in the tennis world. And that—no matter what the technical results of the meeting—will be welcomed by tennis lovers throughout the land. It had become all too evident that if the player-writer dispute continued the quarrel would lineup friend against friend and player against player, and result in nothing but harm to the game.

**MISS HOLLINS STAGING COMEBACK ON LINKS**  
(By The Associated Press.)  
GARDEN CITY, N. Y., May 20.—Miss Marion Hollins, of West Brook, L. I., former national champion, staged a comeback, followed her easy qualifying victory, with a decisive triumph today in the first round of match play for the woman's Metropolitan Golf Title at the Cherry Valley Club. She disposed of Mrs. Albert McDonald, of the home club, by a margin of 8 and 7 in their 18.

## Holy Cross Star Greatest College Twirler in Game

Six major league scouts recently watched Holy Cross beat Princeton, 2 to 1, in 14 innings.

The clash between these two great teams brought together the two undefeated major college teams in the East.

Holy Cross, largely through the great pitching of Owen Carroll, now reigns supreme. Carroll says he is based on bawdy game pitch, he has struck out 17 men.

After the game the six major league scouts agreed that Carroll was ripe for the big show, that he could win two-thirds of his major league starts.

Each sought an interview with Carroll and Coach Jack Barry, former star of the Philadelphia Athletics, but all to no avail.

No pitcher in the history of college baseball has received as many big league offers as Carroll. However, he intends to remain at Holy Cross until he graduates, which will be in June of next year.

Inside dope has it that he is already signed to a Detroit contract and will report immediately on the close of his college career.

Coach Jack Barry, who has developed Carroll into a star, says he is the greatest college pitcher he has ever seen in action. "Carroll is a better pitcher right now than 90 per cent of the big leaguers," says Barry.

Rumors that the United States navy is deficient in college players are great surprise to nations that have met in warfare on the seas.



# Pittsburgh Wallops Giants; Cubs Beat Philadelphia

## GIANTS HEADED DOWN LADDER, DEFEATED AGAIN

(By The Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, May 21.—Followers of the Giants may invoke the new long distance photograph to determine what has happened to the National League champions since they left the Polo Grounds.

When last seen here McGraw's team was proud in a series league leadership and replete with two absurdly easy victories over the Phillies in one afternoon. Since then they have won only three of 13 games and are now in third place, only one and one-half games away from fifth and in immediate danger of being shoved out of first division by the ambitious Robins and Braves.

"The most unkindest cut"—a 12 to 3 defeat—was inflicted by their most bitter rivals, the cruel corsairs, at Pittsburgh yesterday. Wayland Dean and Ernie Maun, styled by training camp reports as the saviors of the Giants pitching staff and the two apples of McGraw's eyes, were beaten from the box—Dean for the third time in as many starts. Jonnard, who followed, was assaulted for four runs in the last inning.

Cuyler, a Pirate rookie stole home. Wright, the newshorstop handled 14 chances faultlessly. Meadows, a specialist twirler, lamed the 3 time bullies of the league and the particular foe of the Pirates in previous seasons.

The Cubs beat Philadelphia, 7 to 4. In the other big league contest not postponed by rain or cold weather yesterday. The win advanced the victors to second place, one-half game ahead of the Giants and the same distance behind Cincinnati.

Vic Kean, rookie who flashed a two hit victory, last week, held the Phillies to five blows while his mates made eleven off Glazner and Betts. The Phils, though frustrated, were not futile. Three of their five hits were home runs by Sand, Falker and Mokan. Sand also had a triple and the last was a double play Ford. Grimes of the Cubs hit his fourth

## M'DONALD WILL PLAY IN RIGHT THIS AFTERNOON IN PLACE OF TANGEMAN

A new outfielder has been signed by Owner Herb Murphy, who will appear in rightfield in this afternoon's game with Greensboro. He is McDonald, who hails from the Dover club in the Eastern Shore League, a class D outfit. He has hit .388 in 1934 and led the league in hitting last year for an average of .388. He played first base for Dover all season with a fielding average of .959 but is also an outfielder. Dover was winner of the championship last year.

McDonald played in 65 games, was at bat 245 times, got 95 hits, eighteen of them home runs, four triples and sixteen two base hits for a total of 173 bases.

With the signing of McDonald, Manager Murphy announced this morning that he will replace Tangeman in rightfield. Tangeman, who has been playing good ball for the locals, will be farmed out on option. Murphy stated, however, he has not found a berth for the fleet Tangeman as yet. Tangeman had become popular with local fans by reason of his sensational fielding, though he had not developed into a heavy hitter. The selection of Tangeman at the time to go will no doubt be quite a disappointing surprise to baseball fans here.

Manager Murphy announced that either Shoaf or Matland will pitch this afternoon's game against Greensboro. With a new man in the lineup and following the brilliant play of yesterday, a good crowd should be on hand.

## Firpo Gets Offer For Bout In N. Y.

(By The Associated Press)  
BUENOS AIRES, May 21.—Luis Firpo, Argentine heavyweight, today announced receipt of a cable offer through Hugh Garland, his business representative, for a bout to be held in the Yankee stadium, New York City, June 27, for the benefit of the milk fund, with Floyd Johnson or Fred Fulton mentioned as his possible opponents. He did not disclose the amount of the offer, which according to the cable, probably could be deposited in Buenos Aires.

Firpo indicated that he was not interested in the offer. He added that he had entered an automobile, which he would drive personally, in the 250-mile road race to be held at Rafaela, in the province of Santa Fe on June 15.

## Gibbons Developing a Puzzling Punch

(By The Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, May 21.—Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul light heavyweight, who meets Georges Carpentier, French ring idol, at Michigan City, Ind., May 31, is developing a short punch he believes will puzzle the Frenchman. He tried it yesterday in workouts of two rounds each with Tillie "Kid" Herman and Andre Anderson, his sparring partners.

The training staff of Carpentier has been augmented by two heavyweights, Soldier King, a light heavy, Grand Rapids, and Jack Taylor, eastern negro. The French fighter went two rounds with each yesterday in addition to rope skipping and punching the sand bag.

## Player-Writer Rule to Be Aired Tonight

(By The Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, May 21.—Both sides of the player-writer rule of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, will be aired here tonight at a meeting called by J. C. Stewart, president of the western association. George W. Whitman, president of the National Association, and other officers will present the side of the association and William Tilden II, national champion, will state his side of the controversy.

## Dempsey's Old Sparring Partner Now a Minister

MOKANE, Mo., May 21.—The Rev. Pierce G. Matthews, pastor of the Christian Church of this city, has left the prize ring to fight the devil. Matthews followed the prize fight game for ten years, meeting some of the best men in the ring. He worked with Jack Dempsey when the latter trained for Jess Willard. Matthews won his last three fights with knockouts.

"I left the ring for the ministry because I think I can better serve humanity by fighting the devil instead of my fellowmen," Matthews says.

He will keep up his training and is interested in sporting events. He has organized athletic work for the men and boys of his church.

His favorite hymn is "The Fight Is On."

## Play By Play of Game

**FIRST WINNING**  
Greensboro—Murphy threw Irby out at Resco's corner. Teague was safe on Belk's error. O'Hara hit a home run scoring Sherrill, who ran for Teague, ahead of him. D. Harris struck out. Cox filed out to Murphy. Two runs, one hit, one error.

**Danville**—Trefry went out short to first. Regan hit for the circuit. Murphy struck out. Inman filed out to left. One run, one hit, no errors.

**SECOND INNING**  
Greensboro—Murphy threw Carroll out at first. Fuhrey filed out to Regan. Ray filed out to Trefry. No runs, no hits, no errors.

**Danville**—Resco went out short to first. Belk fanned. Tangeman walked but was thrown out trying to steal second. No runs, no hits, no errors.

**THIRD INNING**  
Greensboro—Gibson struck out. Irby filed out to Regan. Teague singled to right. O'Hara struck out. No runs, one hit, no errors.

**Danville**—Cochlin went out short to first. Harris was also pegged out at first by Fuhrey. Carroll threw Trefry out at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

**FOURTH INNING**  
Greensboro—D. Harris filed out to Tangeman. Cox filed out to Resco and Carroll filed out to Belk. No runs, no hits, no errors.

**Danville**—Regan got a two-bagger to center. Murphy filed out to right. Regan scored from second on Inman's infield out, pitcher to first. It was a daring bit of base running for Regan. Resco doubled to right center. Belk singled to left and was caught at the plate. One run, three hits, no errors.

**FIFTH INNING**  
Greensboro—Belk threw Fuhrey out at first. Ray doubled to right center. Gibson struck out. Irby also whiffed. No runs, one hit, no errors.

**Danville**—Tangeman filed out to short. Cochlin was safe on Carroll's error, going to second on the play.

## DEMPSEY VISITS ORPHANS; GIVES EACH BANK ACCOUNT

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LOS ANGELES, May 21.—There are fifty boys in the Maud Ballington Booth home for boys in South Boyle avenue.

Today there are fifty aspirants for the heavyweight pugilistic championship of the world in the Maud Ballington Booth Home for boys.

They are Jack Dempsey's boys. He has adopted them all, broadly speaking, and made each one the proud possessor of a real bank with real money in it as the nucleus of a bank account to grow with the boys under his fostering care. They are not real orphans, these boys, but most of them "half orphans," as little Jimmy, of the tribe of Dempsey, seriously explained, and that is because Jack Dempsey has broadly engaged himself to act in loco parentis, as the lawyers would have it, they are not orphans at all, and their new foster parent is "real keen," take it from the boys themselves.

The visit of Jack Dempsey to the Home late Sunday afternoon was the biggest event that ever occurred in the walls of the fine old mansion which now echoes to the tramp of many restless boyish feet and to the laughter that is the most joyous music of the world. News of his coming had keyed them up to the old excitement, from the youngest to the oldest, and there was much boastful clamor of how this one or that one would receive the heavyweight championship of the world and the idol of every real American boy. But when the champion really arrived, this presence found them overawed. "It was stupendous," they stood back and gazed at him as he sat there before them, greater than king or president, more towering in his native strength than the Rock of Gibraltar—the heavyweight champion of the world.

But not for long. Not if you know the American boy. In another moment he was invested, and then taken by storm. They were around him like a copper around a barrel. They wanted to know many things, and Jack could and did tell them. It was their day of days, and his words were the song of songs to their ears.

The boys were of all ages, from the tottler of three to the high school lad of sixteen, and if their number had been fifteen, there would have been that many varieties, but all of the one class of real American boy. Boys of from eight to ten—the age of true hero worship—were in the majority, some skinny and some stout, some with red heads, and some with tow heads, some with freckles and some without. Most of them had known heartbreaks before they came into the home, the passing of a mother or the absence of their father's support and care, and poverty, privation and hard knocks that sometimes come to children to make the whole world seem wrong.

But all that is now happily behind the boys in the home the Volunteers of America and Major Sprague, the matron in charge, have endeavored to

## Grandstand Gaff

It was one pitcher and one outfielder who beat the Greensboro club yesterday at Stonewall Jackson park. They were Cudde Harris and Eddie Regan. Harris was responsible for holding the Patriots down and Regan was responsible for the Tobaccoists scoring. Cudde was in good form, allowing seven scattered hits—but three runs managed to come in. Four hits in four times up, a homer, a triple and two baggers and

half a dozen putouts in the middle garden is a record hard to beat and that's just Eddie did. He was directly responsible for five of the locals six runs, making three himself and batting in a couple of others.

Yesterday's game was in contrast to that terrible affair of Monday. It was an interesting battle from start to finish and was deserving of the large crowd which was on hand on Monday.

Although making one error, Belk yesterday made a spectacular stop of

Irby's hit over second and executed a double killing. It was a nice play. Mike Fuhrey played excellent ball at short for the visitors, having nine chances, which he handled nicely, some of them difficult ones.

A daring bit of base running was pulled off by none other than Regan in the fourth inning when he scored from second on Inman's infield out. Inman had gotten a good start when Inman tapped the ball to the pitcher, who threw to first. In the meantime Regan was sailing home "in high." It was a stunt which is rare in baseball.

The Giants are now only one and a half games from fifth place. McGraw's team was given a ball heating again yesterday. At the hands of thirteen games played on their western tour.

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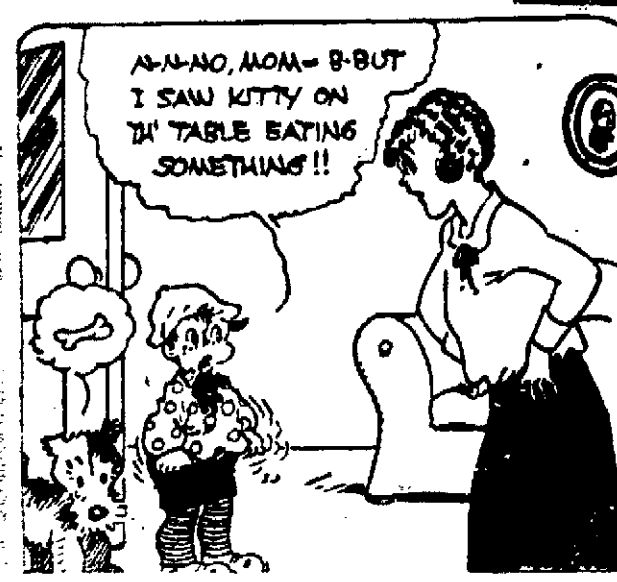
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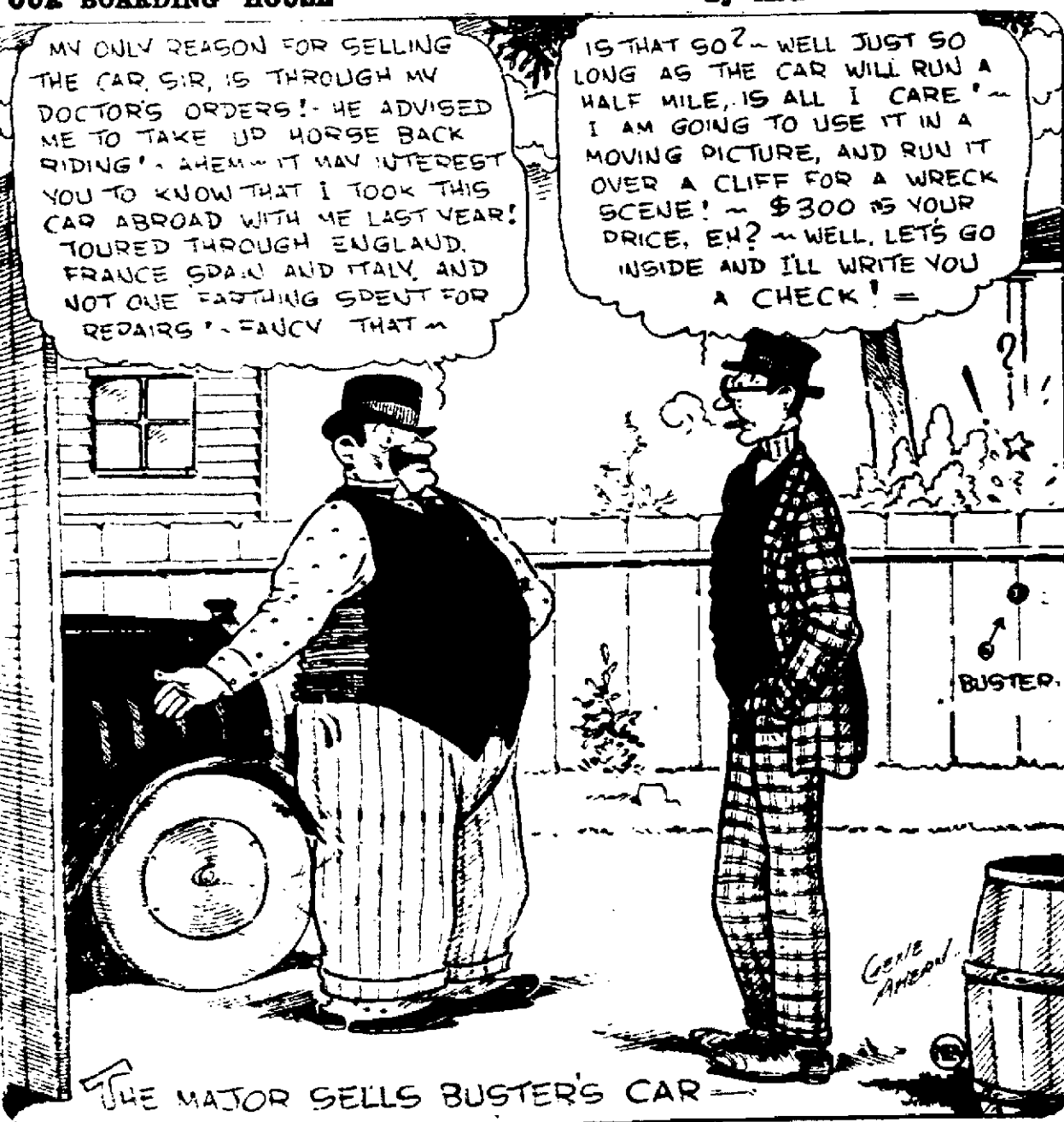
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**BISHOP JETT MAKES PLEA FOR WORLD COURT**

(By The Associated Press.)

LYNCHBURG, May 20.—A plea for adoption of "a strong resolution" in favor of the "establishment as soon as possible" of a permanent court of international justice was made today by Bishop R. Carter Jett of Roanoke in his annual address to the council of the Episcopal Diocese of Southwest Virginia in fifth annual session here.

Bishop Jett declared that abolition of war is "unthinkable" without a governing body to control conflicting opinions and "the passions of men."

No action was taken in the matter today but is expected to come up tomorrow when a large amount of business will be before the council for consideration.

Dr. W. C. Bell of Alexandria, delivered the council sermon, speaking on the "Adventure of Religion." Tonight Canon Gordon M. Reese of Christ Church, Cathedral, St. Louis, and Dean Charles N. Lathrop of New York addresses the council session.

Satisfactory progress is being made toward raising half a million dollars endowment fund for Virginia theological seminary. It was reported to the council.

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**Gardner Succeeds As Co-Op Director**

RALEIGH, N. C., May 20.—The election of directors for the Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association here today resulted in a remarkable vote of confidence in the management of the association when twenty-two directors elected by the 95,000 associated tobacco farmers of three states, nineteen were returned to office. Unanimous elections by the members marked the return of a number of the association's directors to office.

The governors of North Carolina, Virginia and South Carolina also reappointed the public directors of these states, namely Clarence Poe for North Carolina, Oliver J. Sands, of Virginia, and E. C. Epps, for South Carolina, making a total of twenty-two out of twenty-five directors who will return to shape the policies of the marketing association during its third year of operations.

**Gardner Pittsylvania Director**

Although only three new directors from three states were elected today, the association members chose the same type of farmer-business man director which has hitherto won success for the association all over the practical tobacco planters and successful business or banking. In Virginia W. E. Gardner, prominent planter and stock farmer, vice president of the American National Bank, of Danville, also vice president of the Agricultural Credit Corporation of Virginia, succeeds Frank O. McCormick as director of Pittsylvania county, the largest tobacco growing county of the South. Mr. Gardner was one of the first men in Pittsylvania county to sign the marketing contract and one of the very few prominent men in the city of Danville to back the co-operative marketing movement from its beginning. According to Mr. McCormick, who has devoted two years to the interests to association members in his district, Mr. Gardner will have the loyal support of the 6,000 members in Pittsylvania county.

**Other New Men**

A. M. Dumay, of Washington, N. C., succeeded J. V. Cobb, of the Tops, as director of the association's fifth district. Mr. Dumay is president of the first National Bank of Washington, North Carolina, and ex-president of the North Carolina Bankers' association, vice president of the American Bankers' association and a tobacco planter in Beaufort county.

In western North Carolina: T. T. Hawks, prominent planter and merchant of Norfolk succeeds Clyde T. Tarriss, of Mapleville as director of the association's seventh district, where Mr. Hawks has been a constant supporter of the co-operative movement from its early beginning in North Carolina.

**Review Shows Increase**

At the annual meeting of the association members and directors in Raleigh today a review of the association's second season showed an increase in deliveries from 163,000,000 pounds to more than 180,000,000 pounds of tobacco, increased advances paid to the members upon all grades of tobacco, a gain of 10,000 members and satisfactory sales of more than half a million dollars in the 1923 crop.

The members of the association from three states paid tribute to the memory of the late Chief Justice Walter Clark of North Carolina in resolutions stating that in the death of the Chief Justice Clark of North Carolina the farmers and the great common people have lost a devoted friend, and able and courageous defender and bold champion of the people's rights and interests.

Jas. H. Craig, treasurer of the association, who was president at the annual meeting of its members today, stated that checks are now being made out for a payment of more than a million dollars to the association members in eastern Carolina, who will be paid from the co-operative warehouses of the eastern belt not later than June 15.

Richard L. Patterson, general manager of the association leaf department was present at today's meeting of association members and stated that more than 30,000,000 pounds of its redried tobaccos have been purchased by domestic and foreign manufacturers within the past ninety days.

**MORNING STOCK LETTER**

Thomson & McKinnon

NEW YORK, May 21.—Good morning friends. A couple of weeks absence, an opportunity to look at things at a distance from the market center, an opportunity to discuss conditions with the Western merchant, the manufacturer, the traveling man, the working man has only served to confirm the bearish views which I entertained before leaving my desk.

**TRAIN TO SELL**

SEWARD, Alaska, May 21.—The Alaska Railroad is in the market for passenger train—three coaches, two sleepers and one dining car. The line already has engines to haul the train and recently purchased a baggage car in Chicago. With the opening of tourist travel in June, more equipment will be necessary.

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**RAIL**

What was the largest hailstone you ever saw? Yarns about big hailstones rank second only to fishermen's yarns when it comes to the incredible.

Weather Bureau however, says, hailstones nearly five inches in diameter fell in New South Wales in February, 1847. Eighteen years before, houses in Cazorla, Spain, were crushed by hailstones, weighing as much as four and a half pounds apiece.

With such precedents in hail, maybe the fishermen are more truthful than reputed.

**POISON**

Carbon monoxide, the poison gas in auto exhaust, can be made almost harmless by using a small amount of an inexpensive chemical compound mixed with the gasoline. This is the claim of Dr. Miller Reese Hutchinson, the prominent inventor. He doesn't say what the compound is. Probably soon he will have it patented.

If Hutchinson really has conquered this poison, he is giving the world something beyond price. Thousands are killed yearly by carbon monoxide while running their cars in the garage with doors closed. Furthermore, the poison exhaust from millions of autos, being heavier than air, clings near the ground and attacks the health of all who use city streets.

**PLAINER**

The necessity of talking plainly and distinctly over the phone is making American voices less mumbling and pronunciation more correct, linguists say.

They are optimistic. Average talk still is a hash: sample: "Whashu-doonlight." Only by a well developed sense of telephony are Americans able to follow each other's conversation.

**TICKER TALK**  
Thomson & McKinnon.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Conferees expect to reach agreement today on Senate amendments including Simmons income tax rates, Jones graduated corporations tax and publicity for tax returns.

Texas Oil Company declared regular quarterly 75 cent dividend. Annual meeting of Mexican Sea-birds, Inc. and Woolworth Companies today.

Youngstown Sheet and Tube declared regular quarterly dividend of \$1.25 on common.

H. S. Franklin Manufacturing will suspend production of automobiles temporarily for inventory taking.

Mackay Company declared regular common dividend.

Government will withdraw \$7,740,000 from member banks in this district Thursday.

Proposal of Interborough Rapid Transit for 15 cent per cent. wage cut rejected by 5,000 employees who asked 20 per cent. increase.

Left bloc leaders indicate policy of gradual evacuation of the Ruhr will be followed when new French government takes office next month.

Average price 20 Industrials \$8.33 off 1.48; 20 rails \$1.37 off .51.

**MORNING COTTON LETTER**  
Thomson & McKinnon.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Cables lower. The South had mostly clear and warmer weather yesterday except that Memphis had two and one-half inches rain and it was raining in San Antonio last night. Forecast for showers and cooler generally over belt.

Sales in Worth Street of printed cloths the past three days totaled about 20,000 pieces. Business quiet in other lines.

Theodore Price says that if the coming condition report is under last year's figure of 71, the effect may be sensational, and that cotton seems to be entirely immune from the psychological depression noticeable in other commodities.

The market may ease off some this morning on cables and somewhat on weather, but no decline of consequence is likely pending receipt of condition report.

Four new islands were "born" last year, two off the coast of Cochinchina, another off the Japanese coast and the fourth in the Bay of Bengal, in China there is a strong movement among the new generation of girls against the custom of infant betrothals.

**BLINDED**

More accidents to eyes than any other part of the body, among industrial workers it's announced by National Committee for Prevention of Blindness. Every year 200,000 eye accidents in industry. Of the 100,000 totally blind among Americans, 15,000 were blinded while at work.

If you earn your bread and butter near a machine or any chemical or other thing hazardous to sight, cut this out and paste it where you'll see it often.

**MISTAKE**

Ras Tafari, prince regent of Ethiopia, visits New York and brings his enemies along as his bodyguard. This makes it sure they won't start trouble at home in his absence.

He says: "Unlike the late President Wilson, I am bringing my Lodge and Hitchcock with me."

The fatal blunder in Wilson's career was his not taking Lodge, Root and a few other Republican leaders to the peace conference with him. If he had, America might be in the League of Nations today.

**CONFISCATED**

Taxes on farm lands are rapidly approaching the point where they will absorb all profit from crops grown on the land. So warns an expert of the Institute for Research in Land Economics.

The condition he predicts is already in effect in many parts of the country where farmers do not even break even.

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Sales to Noon.

Atchafalpa	103 1/2
Allied Chemical & Dye	71 1/2
Amer. Smelting & Refining	61 1/2
American Locomotive	70 1/2
Am. Tobacco	136 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	123 1/2
American Can	101 1/2
American Woolen	63 1/2
American Sugar	42 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	106 1/2
Bethlehem Steel "B"	47 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	53
California Petroleum	22 1/2
Chandler Motors	44 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	29 1/2
Cosden & Co.	36 1/2
Columbia Gas	35 1/2
Corn Products	84
East Iron Pipe	10 1/2
Central Leather	46 1/2
Continental Can	41 1/2
Cuban American Sugar	41 1/2
Cerro de Pasco	47 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	50 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	40 1/2
Consolidated Textile	2 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	14 1/2
do pfd.	25 1/2
Chicago & N. W.	66 1/2
Coca Cola	24 1/2
Erie, com.	71 1/2
Famous Players-Lasky	12 1/2
General Motors	57 1/2
Great Northern, pfd.	34 1/2
Int. Mer. Marine, pfd.	40 1/2
Kennecott Copper	40 1/2
Missouri Pacific, pfd.	32 1/2
Marland	22 1/2
Mex. Ward & Co.	3 1/2
Middle States Oil	119 1/2
Norfolk & Western	52 1/2
Northern American Co.	52 1/2
Northern Pacific	101 1/2
New York Central	37 1/2
N. Y. Air Brake	71 1/2
Overyland	47 1/2
Pacific Oil	45 1/2
Pan-American "A"	35 1/2
Phillips Petro.	48 1/2
Pere Marquette	24 1/2
Producers & Refiners	44 1/2
Reynolds & Steel	52 1/2
Reading	53 1/2
Ray Consolidated	30 1/2
Sinclair Oil & Refining	20 1/2
Southern Pacific	31 1/2
Studebaker Corporation	56 1/2
Stewart Warner	57 1/2
S. O. of Calif.	33 1/2
S. O. of N. J.	54 1/2
Southern Railway, com.	71 1/2
do pfd.	21
Seaboard Air Line	21
Tobacco Products	57 1/2
Tobacco Prod. "A"	86 1/2
Texas Co.	40 1/2
Transcontinental Oil	4
Texas & Pacific	133 1/2
Union Pacific	67 1/2
Uih Copper	26 1/2
United States Steel	26 1/2
United States Rubber	26 1/2
Walsh odd, "A"	45 1/2
Union Carbide	56 1/2

Sales to noon, 200,000.

**STREET'S REACTION TO SOLDIER BONUS**

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, May 20.—Wall Street's initial reaction to the enactment of the Soldier Bonus bill was a break of one to six points in stock prices, a drop of fifteen to twenty-five points in commodity prices and a tapering off of quoted values in the bond market. Before the day was over, stock prices recovered about one-third their loss, cotton quotations cancelled their declines and bonds rallied to just below Monday's final figures.

Thirty-two stocks, including such leaders as United States Steel common, Baldwin, Studebaker, General Motors, Dupont, Anaconda Copper and United States Industrial Alcohol, established new low prices for the year but many of them closed a point or so above their low figures of the day. The average of 20 barometric industrial stocks was new low ground for the year when the market closed. Rails held relatively firm with outstanding strength being shown by New Orleans, Texas and Mexico and Chesapeake & Ohio, which sold at their highest price of the year on buying of 100,000 shares on special dividend consideration.

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**HOUSE APPROVES NAVAL BILL CONFERENCE REPORT**

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The House today approved the conference report on the Naval bill which modified the Byrnes Arms conference amendment to provide that if the president called another conference of powers other than Great Britain, France, Italy, and Japan, should be invited to participate, if they so desired, and that the discussion should deal with reduction of the number of officers and men in various navies, as well as armaments.

As approved by the conferees the bill provides that boys under 13 years of age in the Navy shall be discharged if application is made by their parents within sixty days of enlistment.

The conference report adopted by the House eliminated from the naval bill the provision that former naval officers who quit the service to accept positions in the Confederate Navy during the Civil War should be

considered resigned instead of dismissed.

The House concurred in the Senate amendment authorizing acceptance by the Navy Department of land to be used for providing a water supply for the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla., and approved another Senate amendment appropriating \$150,000, to be used on improvement of the water system there.

**BREAK UP DOPE GANG**

LONDON, May 21.—A gang of cocaine traffickers infesting London has been completely broken up. Three of the largest principals engaged in it have been driven out of business and another has sought safety abroad. More than a score of minor agents have been drawn into the police net.

Dr. Royley, of Indiana University, calculates that 2,434,028 tons of coal are consumed annually in generating steam to blow the United States locomotive whistles.

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